

### ABSTRACT

A gasket for sealing an appliance door and a method for forming the gasket on an appliance surface are provided. The gasket, formed of gasket material with magnetic properties, is attached to an appliance door shell. The gasket material uses the magnetic properties to releasably engage a mating door jamb when the door shell is in a closed position. Alternatively, the gasket includes a magnetic strip covered by formed-in-place gasket material. A method for forming the gasket in-place is also provided.